FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Name P. Address						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CRISPR Therapeutics AG [ CRSP ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
Novak Rodger						CROST C THORAPORIOS TO								X	Director		10% Owner		vner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CRISPR THERAPEUTICS, INC. 610 MAIN STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2020								X Officer (give title Other (sp below)  President  Other (sp below)					pecify	
						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02139														Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)												Person	ı				
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	e Se	curit	ies Ac	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficia	ally (	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					· · · ·		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.					4 and Securition Beneficion Owned		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
										v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common Shares					0/202	/2020			M		50,00	0 A	\$1	4	698,007			D		
Common Shares 11/30/					0/202	2020		S <sup>(1)</sup>		50,00	0 D	\$1:	25	648,007			D			
Common Shares 11/30/2					0/202	2020		М		50,00	0 A	\$14	.43	698,007			D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution E if any (Month/Day	d Date,	4. Transactior Code (Instr.		5. Number n of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		able and	7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 a	d Amour ties g Security	nt 8.	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Filly 0	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$14	11/30/2020			М			50,000	(2)		10/18/2026	Common Shares	50,00	0	\$0.00	61,893	3	D		
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$14.43	11/30/2020			M			50,000	(3)		06/15/2027	Common Shares	50,00	0	\$0.00	140,31	5	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1. \ The sale \ reported \ in this \ Form \ 4 \ was \ effected \ pursuant \ to \ a \ Rule \ 10b5-1 \ trading \ plan \ adopted \ by \ the \ reporting \ person.$
- 2. This option was granted on October 18, 2016 with respect to 200,000 Common Shares and originally vested in 48 equal monthly installments beginning October 31, 2016. Pursuant to Dr. Novak's amended and restated employment agreement with the Company, subject to his continued employment, beginning November 30, 2018, the remaining unvested options from this grant vest in equal monthly installments at the rate of 50% of the amounts originally scheduled to vest on any one vesting date, and the original vesting schedule was extended to reflect the amended schedule.
- 3. This option was granted on June 15, 2017 with respect to 270,000 Common Shares and originally vested in 48 equal monthly installments commencing upon the grant date. Pursuant to Dr. Novak's amended and restated employment agreement with the Company, subject to his continued employment, beginning November 30, 2018, the remaining unvested options from this grant vest in equal monthly installments at the rate of 50% of the amounts originally scheduled to vest on any one vesting date, and the original vesting schedule was extended to reflect the amended schedule.

## Remarks:

/s/ Michael Esposito, attorneyin-fact

12/02/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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